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Title: Remote Entry Transmitter With Transmission Identification Codes

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Technology Center 2600

Please amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 1 and 6 as follows. A marked-up version reflecting the changes made is attached at Appendix A.

1. (Amended) A method of assigning an identification code to a remote entry transmitter comprising the steps of:

1) providing a number which varies by the time a code is assigned relative to other codes, and ensuring that the codes are non-sequential for codes assigned sequentially; and

2) storing said code in a remote entry transmitter as a remote entry transmitter identification code.

6. (Amended) A remote entry transmitter comprising:

a transmitter body having a switch for requesting a vehicle component to perform an operation; and